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Mr. and Mrs. Rogers left a list of tasks for Amelia Bedelia because she is their maid.

Amelia Bedelia covered the furniture with the face powder because the list said to "dust the furniture."

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were upset and confused because Amelia Bedelia took each of the tasks literally.

The couple did not fire Amelia Bedelia because they really liked Amelia Bedelia's lemon pie.



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